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It is expected that the rink will be ready for opening on Monday. Watch out for announcements.

The report of the Frank public school for November is crowded out of this issue and will appear next week.

Owing to Rev. Cook of Bellevue, enlisting, Rev. Mr. Young has had to field to look after in addition to his many other labors.

The concert and sale of work held in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening was a decided success. The sum of \$74 was realized.

Rev. A. A. Lytle, of Placer, Creek, chairman of the Macleod district of the Methodist church, is in town on business with local missions.

J. Slapak, who has been invalid for a considerable time, died on Wednesday morning. Interment took place at Blairmore to-day. Rev. W. T. Young officiating. Mr. Slapak leaves a large family, to whom we extend our sympathy.

in their bereavement.
The amount collected from the employees of the Fraser Canadian Coal Co. for the first half of November totaled \$217.45. One-fifth of this amount—\$43.49—will be handed over to the Red Cross, and the balance—\$173.96—to the Patriotic Fund. The above is very satisfactory for a two-week pay.

The washhouse at Greenfield Mine was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**A MEETING OF THE DISTRICT COURT will be held at BLAIRMORE on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16th, commencing at 10 A.M.
DATED AT EDMONTON, 2d December, 1914.
G. F. OWEN FERRICK,
Acting Deputy Justice (General)**Ratepayers of Frank Meet****Chairman Declares Himself "At Law"
And Promises Much For Frank
If Re-elected a Councillor.**

The attendance at the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the village of Frank on Monday night proved beyond all doubt that interest in both municipal and school affairs is intense. The meeting was advertised to take place between 8 and 10 p.m. (prompt at any time). About 15 an engineer and electrician arriving near the school noticed that the lights were dim, and at once began to offer their best wishes on the light. The school, but on closer investigation found the chairman of the village council, who was in the water-proof casing from the door in the school, and found that the lights were dim, and at once began to offer their best wishes on the light. The school, but on closer investigation found the chairman of the village council, who was in the water-proof casing from the door in the school, and found that the lights were dim, and at once began to offer their best wishes on the light.

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C. W. JOHNSTON

MANAGER

Lance chairman of the Frank town council has verbally made application for the position of secretary-treasurer for 1915, to which position is attached a salary of \$10 per month—quite sufficient for an accomplished physician and lance artist to receive upon.
As the books of the town have not been audited, it is likely that another meeting will have to be called in order to submit the financial statement to the ratepayers.**Anglican Church Notes**Sunday, Dec. 12, service at 11 a.m., conducted by J. Holden.
Tuesday, Dec. 14, mission service at**Reward \$15.00** Reward given for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person cutting, without authority, dry or green timber on our property.
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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole land of a family, or any other person, may be homesteaded a greater or less area of land, according to the regulations.

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Blairmore, Alta., Fri., Dec. 10, 1915

Why Bohemians are

No Friends of Germans

The terrible war raging in Europe has

at least taught the people in America

to take a little interest in European events.

They have no difficulty now to

find the Danubians on the map, and

under the heading of such obscure

provinces as Hungary, Tyrol, Galicia or

Bukovina, they find the names of the

average newspaper reader of Canada and the

United States. But as to more intelli-

gent people, they find that the Bohemians

are not a nation, but a people, and that

the little kingdom of Bohemia is not

a part of Germany, but a part of the

Empire. It is a little kingdom of Eastern

Europe, there is still a good deal of

ignorance as to the Bohemians, and

it is not enough to know that they

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their conventional medium. In Austria every man who speaks German in his business dealings and does not mind on being put down as a Bohemian, is entered by the census enumerator as a German. The fact is that for more than a century the Bohemians have been a bone of contention between the Slav and the Teuton. The Czechs, a Slav race, occupied the country in the 15th century of our era and gradually erected a powerful kingdom. But on three sides they were surrounded by German lands, and the Germans tried again and again, sometimes by fire and sword, sometimes by peaceful persuasion, to conquer the country and make it a part of greater Germany. The Czechs held their own until they committed a fatal blunder in the year 1920, when they elected a Hapsburg to be their king. The Hapsburgs were German princes, alien in blood, language and manner to the people who chose them. For their rulers, their policy has been such that in 1918 the people arose in revolt, were defeated two years later and held their independence until that time. Bohemia and the lands of the Bohemian crown have been provinces of the Hapsburg realm, governed from Vienna. The rights of the rulers being the extermination of the Bohemian language and, individually by the killing of rebels, including non-commissioned officers of Bohemian troops, education of Bohemian children in German schools and the removal of German to the Bohemian lands. At a time it looked as if this policy would be crowned with success, and a hundred years ago people used the Bohemian language. The Germanization of Bohemia was there. But a miracle happened, and in the first half of the nineteenth century a miracle occurred. It was the restoration of the nation, re-awakened the national consciousness in the hearts of the people. When the era of absolutism passed away in Austria, the young emperor, Francis Joseph, was confronted with the problem how to treat the Czechs of Bohemia, Moravia and Silesia, who demanded the right to live not merely as individuals, but as a people.

To Be Continued

Lundbreck Raises \$70 For Patriotic Fund

At a dance held in the Windsor Hotel on Friday evening, for the purpose of raising money for the Patriotic Fund, the substantial sum of seventy dollars was obtained. The reason that this was such a successful event was due in a large measure to the splendid support given by those who got up the dance. The time and services toward it, and too much cannot be said in regard to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Madden in donating their home and furnishing a large part of the supper for this dance, also very few of the many who helped. It also was a patriotic duty, and a desire to do something towards that most worthy cause.

A word or two should also be said about ladies who supplied the music and kept the large crowd continually moving around the hall to the graceful swing of waltzes, two-steps, one-steps, lancers and numerous other dances.

Miss Dixie McMillan kindly consented to dance the Highland Fling, and was warmly applauded in finishing. For those who did not care to dance Mr. Madden had card tables placed in convenient places.

The number of people that attended probably exceeded that of any dance that has been held in Lundbreck for some time past, and to sum the whole thing up in a few words, it was a huge success and everybody had a delightful time.

Blairmore Red Cross

A cheque for fifty (\$50) dollars has been forwarded to Calgary for medical supplies. We are assured by the Provincial Branch that it is wiser not to keep surplus cash on hand when the need for money is so urgent.

Bottle tickets for the stove can be secured from Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Pinkney, Mrs. Howe, Mrs. Wright and the Drug Store. These are selling rapidly—don't miss your chance. Twenty-five cents gives you a chance on a sixty-five dollar range.

Calgary, Nov. 29.—With the sum of \$2400 to each sent to the Red Cross headquarters

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Return limit April 30th, 1916.

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CALGARY

ALBERTA

Burns' anniversary will be cele-
brated in the usual style at Hill-
crest on the evening of January the
25th. A programme will be re-
hearsed, which will include a con-
cert, dancing, etc. A committee
has already been appointed to look
after arrangements. W. McLaugh-
lin is chairman, and Alex. McPhee,
secretary of the committee.
Further particulars will be given
later.

The 54th Kootenay Battalion
has arrived safely in England.

The song service entitled "Flora-
nce, Nightingale," which was given
by the Institutional church
choir at Coleman on Sunday after-
noon proved a great success, and
one of the best musical and vocal
treats ever held in these parts. The
choir was under the able leadership
of Mr. Lees. The story of Miss
Nightingale was read by Miss Mc-
Arthur. The church was crowded
with interested listeners.

Don't ask your grocer for a Christmas
box until you have paid your bill.

The Chinamen of Lethbridge
have contributed \$95 for patriotic
purposes.

The British are having a whale-
of-a-time catching submarines full
of Japs.

FOR SALE—One Monarch
Heater, with pipe. Apply to S.
Frano, jeweler, Blairmore.

The regular meeting of the town
council was held last night eight
vital business being transacted.

The French steamer *Algerie* has
been sunk. Only eight of her crew
of thirty-seven are accounted for.

Harry Howard, at one time pro-
prietor of a hotel in Blairmore,
paid his old friends a visit this
week.

Rev. Dr. Ferguson, superintendent
of Free-church missions, will
have charge of the Union Church
services on Sunday next.

MARRIED—At Calgary, on
Thursday, December 2nd, Miss
Dorothy Henderson, of Calgary, to
James Turner, of Blairmore.

Tommy Burns has thrown his
hat in the ring again, and wants to
meet Moscovitz Villard. Already
underdogs are getting busy.

Jim Coffey, the Irish heavy-
weight, knocked out Grubbsmith in
the fourth round of a ten-round
bout in New York on November
20th.

We have Hot-House Lettuce,
Ripe Tomatoes, Celery, Sweet
Potatoes, Grape Fruit, Table Bat-
ter, Jap. Oranges, etc.—E. M.
Thompson Co.

Jim McNeil was down from
Cook's last Saturday night. Jim-
my is said to be getting tired of
the hotel business and will sell his
interests to his partner, James
Miller, on the 15th of this month.

Private Maggs, who was recently
invalued home from the front
suffering from an internal trouble,
died of appendicitis at Coleman
on Thursday morning. Interment
takes place at Coleman this
afternoon.

A social will be held in the opera-
house on December 17th by the
children of the Sunday schools.
Doors will open at 7.45, concert to
commence at 8 sharp. A good
programme will be rendered, and
several films of pictures will be
shown.

Matthew C. McLean, sub-con-
tractor of customs at Macleod, and
one of the oldest residents of that
town, was run over and instantly
killed by a switch engine in the
Macleod railway yards on Monday
evening. McLean was 51 years of
age, and leaves a wife.

As a result of nominations on
Monday, Messrs. J. F. Hunter and
W. A. Jacobs were named as school
trustees and declared elected by
acclamation. Only one name was
hand in for councillor, and there
are still two vacancies left, which
will necessitate a by-election.

That death claims will no longer
be paid on the lives of members of
the Sons of England Benefit Society
is the ruling of the Supreme
Executive of that Order. The
grounds for this ruling is that
"war claims are not ordinary
claims, and no provisions are made
in the constitution for them."

A compilation by the editor of
the Nelson News from the official
casualty lists at Ottawa disclosed
that up to June 30th of this year the
casualties of the 7th British Colum-
bia Battalion numbered nine hun-
dred and thirteen men, out of the
original thousand—a record sur-
passed only by the Princess Patri-
otias.

See Handley's Christmas Sale
bills, just out.

The first draft from the 54th
Battalion is reported in action in
France.

Mrs. Kidd's maternity home,
Box 95, Phone 151, wedding cakes
decorated.

Is Germany a dynasty? The
Germans should say "nasty," any-
way!—Prof. Crane.

The McGillivray Coal Co., at
Coleman, have declared a dividend
of one cent a share.

It is believed that a large Ameri-
can oil-tank steamer has been
sunk by a German submarine.

The charging of one half of one
percent on Canadian currency in the
United States has been discon-
tinued.

A concert will be given in the
Lodge theatre, at Bellevue, on the
26th, for the benefit of the family
of Arthur Amos.

A. P. Hughes, formerly of the
Union Bank of Canada, Bellevue
and Frank has joined the 187th
as a Lieutenant.

E. A. Cunningham, of Calgary,
was married at Lethbridge on Nov-
ember 24th to Miss Eva Maud
Graham, of Montreal.

The sale of the Cranbrook Herald to
the Conservative party leaves the
Natal Reporter, the only Lib-
eral paper in the East Kootenays.

The Alberta provincial branch of
the Red Cross Society acknowledge
receipt of a cartload of coal from
the West Canadian Collieries,
Blairmore.

R. McDonald, of the local branch
of the Union Bank, has been given
the appointment of manager of the
branch at Seven Persons, and
leaves for his new post this week
end.

E. M. Thompson Co. have just
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can quote low prices on Bran,
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receive substantial encouragement.
When you give a dollar towards
improving the town, you do not
throw away your money, but sim-
ply make a good investment.

Bellevue Happenings

R. G. Davis paid a visit to Mel-
lie Hat this week.

Billie Crawford has started to
work in No. 2 mine lamp cabin.

The rink is being got in, readi-
ness, and we hope for skating in
the near future.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Allan
Hamilton, twin boys. The infants
lived but a few hours.

Miss Sadie Niven, of Frank, was
here this week soliciting subscrip-
tions for the Lethbridge Herald.

A number of local young men are
travelling to Frank occasionally,
for some purpose other than mere
exercise.

Mr. Rogers, formerly of the Co-
operative Store, Coleman, has taken
a position with Messrs. Haddad
Brothers here.

Rev. F. T. Cook went to Edmon-
ton on Saturday, where he under-
stand he has enlisted with the 4th
Universities Corps.

A number of experienced miners
arrived here this week from Cum-
berland, B.C. They have all
secured work, and will move their
families here shortly.

OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST



EVERY FARM IS A FACTORY

Like any other factory, a farm requires a properly equip-
ped plant. That means well designed buildings. The British
Columbia Forest Service is publishing a series of bulletins on
farm buildings, the plans for which, the bills of material, and
instructions how to build, were prepared by the College of
Architecture of the University of Saskatchewan. The Forest
Service has supplied information concerning the best woods
to use.

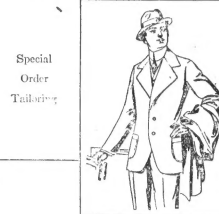
No expense or pains have been spared to make these
bulletins of real value to the farmer. Even if you do not ex-
pect to build immediately, these bulletins will help you to work
out your plans for extending or improving your plant and will
enable you to find out the cost beforehand.

Any of the following bulletins in which you are interested
will be mailed free on application to the Chief Forester, Victo-
ria, B.C. Complete reference sets will also be supplied lumber
dealers on request.

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